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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In response to the restriction requirement mailed September 9, 2005, in the aboveidentified application, applicants elect to prosecute in this application, without traverse, the Group III claims (Claims 27-32 and 63-85), drawn to a computer-readable medium. The remaining claims in this application (Claims 1-10, 14-20, 33-51) are withdrawn as directed to a non-elective invention, without prejudice to pursuing these claims in divisional applications.

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